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EXERCISE SERIES, EXERCISE BOLD GUARD 1978 AND
EXERCISE COLD FIRE 78

REFS: A. USDELMC 416/78, 051438Z JUN 78
B. USDELMC 422/78, 070804Z JUN 78
C. USNATO 5814, 081125Z JUN 78
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D. USNATO 5815, 081127Z JUN 78
E. USDELMC 433/78, 091513Z JUN 78
F. STATE 148987, 122207Z JUN 78
G. USNATO 6036, 141812Z JUN 78
H. USNATO 6150, 161822Z JUN 78

1. THE FOLLOWING GIVES GUIDANCE ON ITEM II.B OF JUNE 20

POLADS AGENDA (REF H).

2. AUTUMN FORGE 78 EXERCISE SERIES (REFS A AND C):
WE CONCUR IN PRESS POLICY. AS REGARDS THE PROPOSED
PRESS RELEASE, WE BELIEVE THAT THE WORD "HONOR" IN REF A'S
PARA 4, 2ND SENTENCE SHOULD BE REPLACED BY SOME OTHER
MORE SUITABLE PHRASE SUCH AS "NOTED". WE AGREE WITH
CHAIRMAN OF POLAD (REF C) THAT COMMITTEE SHOULD CONTINUE
ITS PRACTICE OF DISCUSSING THE CBM'S ASPECT OF AUTUMN

FORGE PRESS RELEASES.

3. EXERCISE BOLD GUARD 1978 (REFS B AND D): WE CONCUR
IN PROPOSED PRESS RELEASE AS MODIFIED BY USDELMC
(REF A) AND AGREE WITH MISSION ON TIMING OF
ITS RELEASE (REF D).

4. EXERCISE COLD FIRE 78 (REFS E AND G): WE CONCUR
IN PROPOSED PRESS RELEASE AS AMENDED BY USDELMC (REF E).

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